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14. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee staff, and left with him, at his request, a copy of the Agency Legislative package, the explanation and justification and the analysis thereof.

Met with Miss Louise Ellis, Secretary to Mr. Kelleher, concerning a letter received by Mr. Rivers from [redacted]

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15. (Unclassified - JGO) Met with Mr. George Fisher, Administrative Assistant to Representative Olin Teague (D., Tex.), who advised that both the Chairman and his son Jim, who is handling Vietnam veterans' affairs for his father on the Veterans' Affairs Committee, are at home sick with the flu. Mr. Fisher provided the names of individuals in the Veterans' Affairs Committee staff and at Veterans' Administration who will be handling matters relating to the visit of [redacted]

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[redacted] over the coming week-end on their way to the Veterans' Convention. I will attempt to follow up on this tomorrow.

16. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Delivered to Senator Leverett Saltonstall's office certain material prepared by [redacted] for the use of [redacted]

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9. (Internal Use Only - ISW) Talked with Mr. Clifford Gaucher, Administrative Assistant to Representative Philip J. Philbin, who had earlier attempted to reach [ ] and left a message that he would like Mr. Gaucher briefed prior to a trip to Germany. I advised Gaucher that we would be happy to do so and asked that he let Mr. Philbin know that we were arranging something for Thursday.

10. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee staff, who advised that he hoped to discuss the proposed Agency legislation and a date for meeting of the CIA Subcommittee with the Chairman later in the day. The Chairman is bothered somewhat, however, by a stiff shoulder which could interfere with some of his activities during the next few days.

Advised Mr. Blandford that the Director will be addressing himself to the question of missiles in Cuba suggested by his letter of April 6. I noted for Mr. Blandford's information that both the [ ]

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[ ] at the time of publication and found that no new information was contained therein. Mr. Blandford noted with appreciation the fact that the Agency had been on top of this report in the first instance.

11. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Attended the Senate Subcommittee hearings on the Hays Bill (Foreign Service Act amendments). Senator Lausche (D., Ohio) was absent and on balance the Subcommittee members appeared to be sympathetic to the Administration's witnesses. (The witnesses included Secretary Crockett, Leonard Marks, John Macy and Roger Jones.) Senator Hickenlooper (R., Iowa) complained about the lack of information in the Foreign Service list. The classification of the Biographic Register was also discussed. Public witnesses will be heard by the Subcommittee on Thursday, 21 April 1966. The Administration witnesses will be called back for further testimony later. (See Memo for the Record.)

12. (Unclassified - LLM) A member of the staff of Representative Speedy O. Long (D., La.) called to inquire whether we had a summer employment program. I briefly explained its limitation factors and "Jo" appeared to fully appreciate our position.

13. (Confidential - LLM) Met with Miss Nella Adams, in the office of Representative Robert Sikes (D., Fla.) and explained that the applicant,

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5. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee staff, and discussed with him the three legislative proposals pending before the Committee: the consultant pay item forwarded August 30, 1965; the cost-of-living adjustment of retirement annuities forwarded October 22, 1965; and the omnibus package forwarded April 7, 1966. ✓

6. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and briefed him on the impending purchase of the [ ] Mr. Michaels indicated that he believed it would be well if formal indication could be forwarded to the Committee.

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7. (Secret - JGO) Met with Chairman Mahon and extended to him an invitation to visit the [ ] exhibit here at the headquarters during the week. Mr. Mahon was most appreciative but advised that as yet over the recess, he had not been able to get any time away and did not feel that he could make it out here this week. Also briefed him on the [ ] and advised that a formal note would be coming to him on it. He appreciated the information and asked that the note be given to Mr. Michaels.

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8. (Unclassified - JGO) Mr. Herb Atkinson, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, called and requested additional copies of the bill, "To amend the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949," for use by the staff.

9. (Confidential - GLC) Talked with [ ] concerning the inquiry from Senator Thomas J. Dodd's office on a proposed publication by the Internal Security Subcommittee (see Journal of 11 April). [ ] is looking into the feasibility of our providing assistance on this while we obtain more detailed information from Senator Dodd's office on the nature of this study.

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10. (Internal Use Only - JSW) Discussed with Russ Blandford, House Armed Services Committee staff, the three pending pieces of legislation sponsored by CIA which are before the Committee. It was agreed that these would be put together in one overall package for introduction by the Chairman. It is hoped that we will be able to have early hearings on this matter. ✓

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12. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Representative Olin E. Teague (D., Texas) and provided for his information a series of items taken from the Congressional Record concerning the Forrestal Award and Agency appearances before House Armed Services. Mr. Teague thanked me for the items.

13. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Miss Louise Ellis, House Armed Services Committee staff, and received from her a copy of a letter addressed to Chairman Rivers from

A draft response is being prepared for the Chairman's use.

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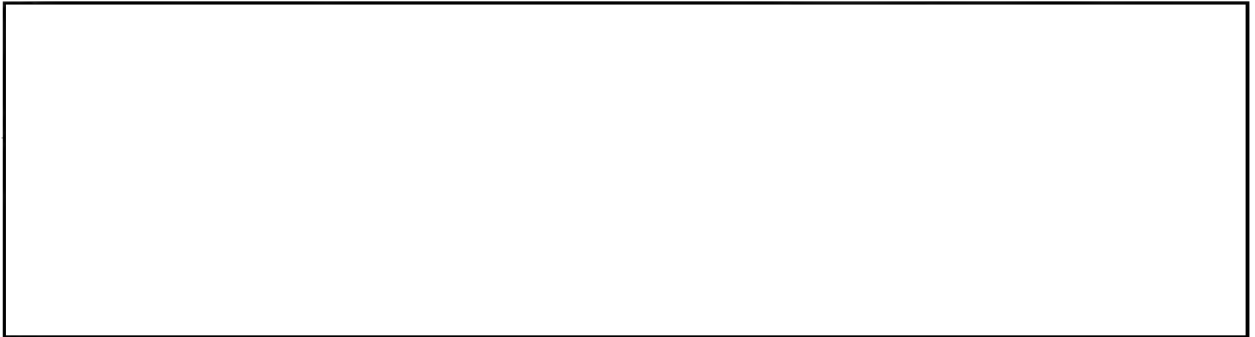
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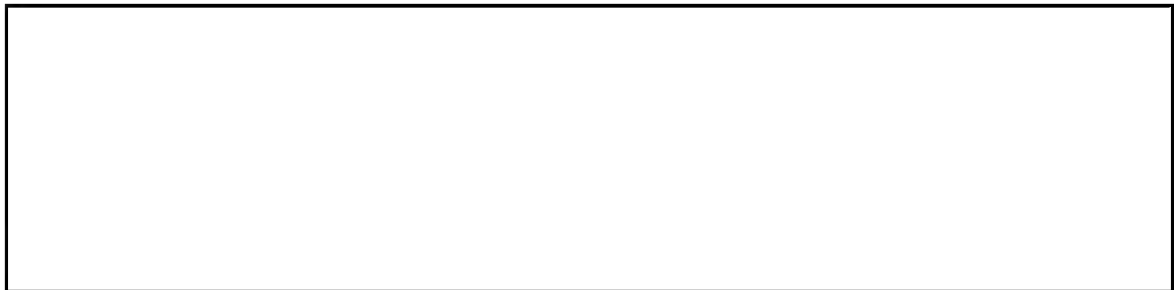
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8. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Miss Louise Ellis, House Armed Services Committee staff, and reviewed with her correspondence received by the Chairman and by Representative Arends from 

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10. (Unclassified - JGO) Delivered to the office of the Vice President and to the Speaker of the House, letters forwarding the Agency legislative package amending P.L. 110, on travel, retirement, and other authorities. The proposed legislation will be referred today to the Armed Services Committee of the House and Senate.



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